

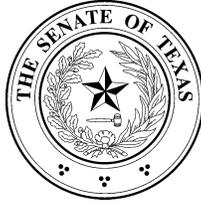
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AGENDA

Tuesday, February 1, 2011

Capitol Extension, E1.028

10:00 a.m.

I. Call to Order

II. Committee Business

III. Remarks from Chair and Members

IV. Flexibility and Mandate Relief

• Panel 1: School Organizations

- Karen Ellis, Board of Trustees, Richardson ISD, Board of Directors, Texas Association of School Boards
- Rod Schroder, Superintendent, Amarillo Independent School District, President, The School Alliance
- Dr. Richard Middleton, Superintendent, North East ISD, TASA
- Cheryl Mehl, Chair, Council of School Attorneys
- Ann Smisko, Ph.D., Associate Commissioner for School Support and Improvement, Texas Education Agency

• Panel 2: School District Leaders

• Panel 3: Educator Associations

- Lonnie Hollingsworth, Jr., Director of Legal Services/Governmental Relations
- Eric Hartman, Director of Government Relations, Texas AFT
- Richard Kouri, Assistant Executive Director for Public Affairs, Texas State Teachers Association
- Brock Gregg, Governmental Relations Director, ATPE

V. Public Testimony

VI. Recess